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SUBJECT: OAU/ARAB LEAGUE SUMMIT: MALIAN PRESS REPORT

REF: STATE 49783

1. MALIAN GOVERNMENT DAILY L'ESSOR REPORTED MARCH 8 ON OPENING OF OAU/ARAB SUMMIT IN CAIRO UNDER HEADLINE "PRESIDENT SADAT GIVES 1 MILLION DOLLARS TO AFRICAN LIBERATION MOVEMENTS." AFTER AN ENTHUSIASTIC ACCOUNT OF THE OPENING CEREMONY, L'ESSOR SAID THAT SADAT HAD ACCORDED ONE MILLION DOLLARS TO AFRICAN LIBERATION MOVEMENTS AND IN FOLLOWING SENTENCE NOTED THAT SADAT HAD LINKED THEM WITH PALESTINE LIBERATION ORGANIZATION. SADAT HAD, REPORTS L'ESSOR, STATED HIS WILLINGNESS TO OPEN EGYPTIAN ARMS DEPOTS TO AFRICAN LIBERATION MOVEMENTS.

2. FURTHER COVERAGE TIED "OPENING OF NEW FRONTS BY THE IMPERIALISTS AND RACISTS IN SOUTHERN AFRICA" WITH STATEMENT THAT ISRAEL WAS THREATENING PEACE IN MIDDLE EAST.

3. OTHER THEMES WERE FAMILIAR NORTH-SOUTH ECONOMIC PROBLEMS AND THE ATTACHMENT OF AFRICA AND THE ARAB WORLD TO THE NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT.

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